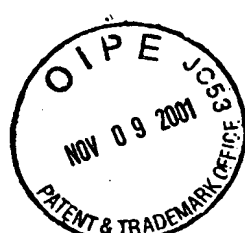


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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby submits the following reference in accordance with 37 C.F.R.

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